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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2004, reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.